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TAGS: PFOR, AF, HVR, VE, TU  
SUBJECT: RECOGNITION OF AFGHAN REGIME

1. PAKISTANI AME TOLD ME AT 2245 THAT HIS  
GOVT HAD DECIDED TO RECOGNIZE AFGHANISTAN  
AT 1000 TURK TIME SUNDAY, JULY 22, AND THAT  
HE HAD SO INFORMED TURK GOVT.

2. TURK FOREIGN MINISTRY (TEVS), ALMOST AT SAME  
TIME, INFORMED US THAT, IN LIGHT PAK AND  
IRANIAN DECISIONS TO GO AHEAD WITH RECOGNITION,  
TURKEY ALSO WOULD RECOGNIZE AFGHAN REGIME  
AT 1000, TURK TIME SUNDAY, JULY 22.  
DECISION TENDS BY TURK FCNMIN BAYULKEN ON  
HIS ARRIVAL FROM SOFIA. METHOD WILL PROBABLY  
BE ORAL RPT ORAL RECOGNITION STATEMENT  
LIKE THAT OF FRG AS FAR AS TURKEY IS CONCERNED.

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